



Robert H. Baker American Legion Post 95 Meeting Minutes of May 18, 2021

With twenty six (26) members and one (1) guests in attendance
Jim Elliott, Don Happy, Larry Allen, G. Ray Nichols, Bud Taylor, John Wingate,
Jerry Pate, Jerry Head, James Hare, Gary Petrfluid, Bob Beeks, Charles Allen, Robert
Beatty, Donald Hodge, Paul Ellison, Ray Crestwell, Wally Glasso. Judi Samborski, Jake
Samborski, Frank Henderson, Jeff Watt, Amondon Barbosa, Thomas Thomas M.D.,
Gentry Thomason. and Robert Emery

Guests: Justin Parish

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott proceeded to open the meeting at 19:00 HRS

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott led the Post in salute to colors.

Post 95 Chaplain G. Ray Nichols gave the opening prayer.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott led the post in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott asked Post 95 Adjutant Robert Emery to read the minutes
from the last Post 95 meeting.

Judi Samborski made a motion to forgo reading of the minutes. Jake Samborski seconded
the motion and the motion passed.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott asked if there were any guests or new members.

Justin introduced himself to the Post.

Committee Reports:

Finance Report:

Post 95 Finance Officer Donald Happy gave the following Finance Report for

April

Beginning Balance	\$ 11975.43
Deposits:	\$ 300.00
Withdrawals:	\$ 3685.60
Service Charge	\$ 3.00
Ending Balance:	\$ 8587.43

Post 95 Finance Officer Donald Happy stated that thirty two hundred (\$3200.00) was for
Boys and Girls State.

Girls State sent back three hundred (\$300.00) dollars.

Post 95 Finance Officer Donald Happy stated that he had spent the following on items for
Avenue of Flags.

Engraving \$15.00

Lowes – conduit \$28.64

Emblem Sales – flags \$41.85

Bungee cords \$28.28

Total 113.97

Which was less than amount authorized \$150.00

G. Ray Nichols made a motion to accept finance report as read. Judi Samborski seconded
the motion and the motion passed.



New Members:

Post 95 Vice Commander Jeff Watt said that he had just emailed the new listing and would start phone calls tomorrow.

Membership:

Post 95 Adjutant Robert Emery reported that current paid up membership was two hundred eighteen (218) with the membership goal of two hundred fifty two (252).

Honor Team:

Donald Happy said that the team had done one funeral in May and about twenty this year.

Oratorical: NO REPORT

Missouri Girls State, Missouri Boys State and Cadet Patrol

Only half of the usual students will be allowed so only half of the students will be allowed in this session and the other half will go next session.

BINGO:

Donald Happy said Cedars was not open yet.

Sickness and distress:

G. Ray Nichols said that Gene Welch is home recovering but still cannot talk.

Larry Allen said that Ron Pardeck was doing OK.

Old Business:

Avenue of Flags:

Don Happy said that the Boy Scouts will be helping with the flags.

Don Happy said that he will put directories and applications for flags out.

G. Ray Nichols asked how much flags were. Don Happy said \$25 because that is what is on the application.

Liberty Boys Home:

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott talked about the home is in the historic district and had to go through an approval process and said that he may ask Jeff Watt to help.

Correspondence:

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott read a Thank You from Healing Waters for donations.

New Business:

Jeff Watt talked about cemetery clean up being held on the third Saturday of the month and were looking for veterans to help clean veterans graves.

Jeff Watt said the clean up was from 09:00 to 12:00 at the cemetery.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott said that he had scheduled the hall at Our Lady of Mercy for the Third Tuesday of the month for Post Meetings.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott said that he had also scheduled November 13 for the Chili Supper.

Post Elections:

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott said that Post Elections were coming up in June.

Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott said that he would not be running for Post Commander again.

Jeff Watt said that Liberty and Liberty Fall Festival would be September.



Fireworks would be held July 3rd held on the third Saturday in

Post 95 Chaplain G. Ray Nichols gave the closing prayer.
Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott led Post in salute to colors.
Post 95 Commander Jim Elliott closed the meeting in due form at 19:25

Submitted _____
Robert C. Emery – Adjutant

Approved _____
Jimmy Elliott - Commander